

## HANCOCK

AN IMPORTANT TEMPERANCE  
RALLY SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Prominent Speakers at Mass Meeting in Kerredge Theater Sunday Afternoon to Talk on Prohibition—Illustrated Lecture in Evening at Congregational Church.

One of the most important temperance meetings ever held in the city will be that to take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Kerredge theater, at which Dr. Samuel Dickie, president of Albion college, will be the principal speaker. Much interest is taken in Dr. Dickie's appearance, as his debates with Mayor Rose of Milwaukee were followed by many local residents, and one of them was made the subject of an address by Rev. J. S. Gould at the time. Mr. Gould will provide at the meeting and an introductory address will be made by Bishop Moore, while Rev. M. H. Eldred of Peewee and Rev. P. P. Knowles of Houghton will also take part in the exercises. Special musical features will be provided including the singing of hymns by a large chorus choir which has been organized for the occasion. The full program was published in The News yesterday.

**Illustrated Lecture.**  
Rev. J. S. Gould, pastor of the Congregational church, will give an illustrated address tomorrow evening on the subject of "Saul of Tarsus," the first in a series of Sunday evening sermons on "The Ambitious Young Jew." The annual offering for ministerial relief will be taken in the morning, when the pastor will preach on "The Grace of Generous Giving."

**Dr. Dickie at M. E. Church.**  
Dr. Samuel Dickie, president of Albion college, will preach tomorrow evening at the Hancock M. E. church, while the other services will be as usual, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. E. Marvin. The morning service will be by the pastor, who will speak on "Present Day Need of the Prophetic Office." Other services for the day will be class meeting at 9:30; Sunday school at 12; Junior League at 2:45; and Epworth League, 6:15. All the week night services will be conducted as usual.

## HAD 'POSSUM FOR DINNER.

Bill Taft Not the Only Man Who Enjoys Southern Delicacy.

J. A. Fuller of Hancock has something in addition to his turkey on Thanksgiving day that perhaps no one else in the copper country had. This was a nice fat possum, which was sent to Mr. Fuller by some friends in Indiana, and which Mr. Fuller and his family enjoyed fully as much as did President Taft, whose eating by him on his trip south, when his partaking of the curious marsupial brought "Billy Possum" into fame as great as that of the "Teddy Bear" of the previous administration. And there is little doubt but that Mr. Fuller's possum enjoyed being eaten by the Hancock man every bit as much as the Georgia possum liked being consigned to the president's capacious interior. Mr. Fuller says the possum was fine and tasted very much like a nice, tender, little juicy sucking pig.

## ANNIVERSARY POSTPONED.

Tent Anniversary of Atlantic Finnish Church Indefinitely Deferred.

The observance of the tent anniversary of the Finnish Lutheran church at Atlantic, which was to have been held last Sunday, was postponed indefinitely until such time as the Rev. John Back, pastor of the Hancock Finnish Lutheran church, will be able to attend.

It is announced that the dedication of the new church for the Finnish Lutheran congregations of Battle and South Range will take place on Sunday, December 5, with appropriate and interesting exercises in which Revs. Nikander and Back and Pastor Otto Stadius of Atlantic will participate. The program is now being arranged and will be announced shortly.

Rev. Otto Stadius of the Atlantic Finnish Lutheran church, and who will have charge of the new Battle-South Range church, is recovering from his recent illness with the grip.

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HIBERNIANS BEAT ELKS;  
EAGLES WIN FROM N. R.

Hibernian Indoor Baseball Team by Defeating Elks Hold Only Perfect Percentage of Any of the League Teams—Was a Brilliant Contest, the Score Being 5 to 1.

The Hibernian indoor baseball team, by defeating the Elks last night, administered to the latter the only defeat they have yet sustained and secured for themselves the distinction of being the only one of the six teams that has a perfect percentage.

It was one of the best and most spectacular matches yet played. There was a large attendance of fans, rooting for both sides and the crowd was most enthusiastic. The match had been looked forward to with much eagerness it being the first time these two undefeated leaders of the league were scheduled to come together, and it was a foregone conclusion that there would be a fast and exciting game. The Elks scored first but in the fourth inning the starchy was somewhat taken out of them by the boys in green securing three runs. The Hibernians then kept the Elks from scoring in the remaining three innings and themselves added two more to their score, making it 5 to 1 at the finish. Some fine plays were made on both sides and Carney and Ross, the rival pitchers, did some pretty work. Carney was at his best and struck out seventeen of the antlered batters, allowing only three hits and did not issue a single base on balls.

The result of the match encourages the supporters of the A. O. H. team to believe that their nine is unquestionably the strongest in the league and that they will retain the championship won last season. The good work done and the enthusiasm aroused last night portends a larger attendance at future games.

The score by innings and the summary of the game are as follows:

	R.	H.	E.
Hibernians	5	0	0
Elks	1	0	0

Batteries: Ross and Montgomery; Carney and Stack. Struck out by Ross 7, by Carney 17. Bases on balls off Ross 2, off Carney 0. Two base hits, Kelly, Scanlon and Stack. Umpires, Bakken and Shields.

The second game, between the Eagles and the Naval Reserves, was too one-sided to be very interesting and as usual the sailors were beaten, the score standing 14 to 4, when the seventh inning was finished. It was some satisfaction to the Eagles to win the game, as it was their first victory and relieved the monotony of seeing the three elphers opposite their name in the percentage column, which as the result of last night's matches now stands as follows:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Hibernians	5	0	100
Elks	1	0	100
H. L. L.	3	1	75
K. C.	2	2	50
C. O. F.	1	3	25
Eagles	1	4	20
Reserves	0	5	0

On Tuesday evening next the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Order of Foresters will play, and the Hibernians and the Light Infantry will try conclusions. The soldiers are third in the league standing, and the Hibernians are expecting to do to them what they did to the Elks last night.

## PLUCKED THE OWL.

And Therefore Hancock School Missed Gift of Fine Stuffed Bird.

The Hancock high school recently came very near having presented to it a fine large snowy owl, to be added to its collection of Michigan birds. The creature was killed some time ago by the seventeen-year-old daughter of a well known Hancock business man, at the family homestead on the shores of one of the lakes on the South Range. The young lady is a good shot with the rifle and was proud of her trophy, which she thought would look well mounted and placed in a glass case in the school building. The owl was brought to camp, where it came under the observation of a domestic servant employed by the family. It was during the partridge season and the girl naturally thought that it was her duty to prepare the fowl for eating. She had just finished removing the feathers when the young hunter came in and catching sight of the denuded body of the owl burst into tears and explained to the girl what she had done. The latter looked ruefully at them and her labors and pointing to them remarked: "Well, there's the bird and there's the feathers. Take 'em if you can do anything with them." And that's how it happened that the school did not receive a present of a nicely stuffed owl.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following transfers of real estate in West Hancock have been made through the W. Frank James agency during the past week:

Bought lot 23, block 2, West Hancock from Frank H. Schumaker of Red Jacket.  
Bought lot 5, block 2, Grove addition, from Dr. W. H. Dodge.  
Bought lot 4, block 6, Anthony's addition, from Mrs. Josephine Fink.  
Sold lot 16, block 12, Ulseth addition, to George Nelson.  
Sold six-room house lot 6, block 1, Anthony's addition, to Frank Shell.  
Sold lot 20, block 16, Ulseth addition, to Lincoln Wibben. Mr. Wibben will remove the house belonging to him in the rear of the Kerredge theater to the lot just purchased.

Lucien W. Patchen and Miss Gertrude Carpenter of Redridge were married yesterday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. J. S. Gould at the Congregational parsonage.  
Arno Jaehrig is spending a few days hunting at Bete de Gris.

## Hay's Hair Health

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BAZAR COMMITTEE REPORTS  
AND OTHER COLLEGE NEWS

The committee in charge of the recent concert and bazaar given by the Finnish college at the North Star hall, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday last, met last evening at the college to make a report of the affair. The proceeds were large and the occasion was a pronounced success in every way.

A meeting will be held at the Finnish college this evening to select committees to have charge of a bazaar to be given for the benefit of the new Finnish Lutheran church, which will be ready for occupancy early next month. It is expected that the arrangements for the dedication of the edifice, which the contractors Lakso & Co. are now rapidly bringing to completion, will be announced in a short time and that the event will take place before Christmas.

Finnish Lutheran church services will be conducted at the college next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The college society known as the "Konventti," went to Atlantic last evening to give an entertainment at the Atlantic church, for which an interesting program was arranged.

The College will reopen on Monday after the Thanksgiving vacation, and the students who have been spending the four-day holiday at their homes elsewhere will return to Hancock tomorrow.

REV. DR. MARTIN TO PREACH  
SUNDAY AT PEWABIC CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Martin, D. D. of Albion college, will occupy the pulpit of the Peewabie M. E. church on Sunday morning at the 10:30 o'clock service, and will speak upon educational topics, in connection with the institution that he represents. Dr. Martin has been making addresses throughout the copper country for several weeks past, speaking at the anniversary services of the Hancock Methodist church week before last. He is a very able and interesting orator and has made a decided impression upon the large audience which he has addressed. The evening service will be in charge of the pastor, Rev. M. H. Eldred, who will have for the subject of his sermon, "The Gracious Message of the Master, Uttered in the Closing Hours of a Great Feast Day."

The Sunday school session will be omitted in the afternoon in order to allow all who desire to attend the big temperance platform meeting to be held at the Kerredge theater in Hancock, at which Dr. Samuel Dickie and other prominent speakers will make addresses.

The Epworth league meeting on Monday evening will have for the subject of discussion, "Abstinence and Strength," for which occasion the leader selected is James Rodda.

## TO REMODEL THEATER FRONT.

Prospective Improvement to Entrance of the Savoy Theater.

Important alterations and improvements to the front of the Savoy theater in the Germania building are contemplated by Manager Getteman, the principal one being the reconstruction of the entrance, making a large open lobby, which will be attractively decorated by J. C. Donahue and which will provide better exits for the patrons of the house. It is the intention to take out the large plate glass windows, and to substitute three large swinging double doors, occupying the entire front of the theater. The platforms occupying the windows will be taken out and the steam heating radiators will be placed along the side walls of the lobby. This will afford comfortable accommodations for those waiting for the second show when the theater is full, and will be much appreciated by those frequenting this popular moving picture theater. Manager Getteman is showing a fine program of pictures this week, and Miss Constance Campbell continues to please the audiences with her singing of popular songs.

## CHARGED WITH BURGLARY.

Andrew Nelson Arrested on Charge of Burglarizing a Saloon.

Andrew Nelson, also known as Hurl, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of burglary. The complaint was made by John F. Bietala, who claimed that his saloon on West Quincy street had been entered on Thursday evening and that \$15.50 was taken from the register, besides which ten bottles of whiskey, two bottles of gin and four bottles of champagne had also been stolen. It was claimed that the burglary took place about 7 o'clock Thursday evening, the place being closed on account of the holiday. It is thought that entrance was effected by forcing the lock of the cellar door.

Nelson was arraigned yesterday afternoon before Justice Oliver and pleaded not guilty, demanding an examination, which will be held on Monday morning at 10 o'clock before Justice Oliver. Meanwhile Nelson will spend the time in jail in default of bail. Several witnesses have been subpoenaed.

C. A. Wright left yesterday afternoon for a business trip to New York.

MISTLETOE LODGE ELECTS  
OFFICERS FOR THE TERM

Sons of St. George Select Martin Rillstone as Worthy President and Choose Other Officers to Serve for Six Months—Installation Will Take Place on Saturday, Dec. 4.

The semi-annual election of officers of Mistletoe lodge, Sons of St. George, was held at the lodge rooms in the Quincy hall last evening and the following were chosen to serve for the term, until next April:

Worthy president, Martin Rillstone. Worthy vice-pres., Wm. Chapman. Worthy secretary, Wm. Goudge, Sr. Worthy treasurer, John T. Vickers. Worthy Asst. secretary, E. S. Smith. W. M. J. Henry Williams. W. A. M., Charles Sleeman. Worthy chaplain, Charles Gibben. Worthy inner sentinel, Geo. Trevenethen.

Worthy outside sentinel, James Commons. Trustee for 15 months, George Trevenethen.

Worthy past president, I. John Truscott.

The installation of the newly elected officers will take place on Saturday evening, Dec. 4, and will be of a public nature to the extent that members may invite friends to be present and enjoy the festivities which will follow the business and official portion of the meeting. I. John Truscott, past worthy president, will be chairman for the occasion, and among those who will be present and make addresses are Dr. E. T. Abrams and Grand Vice President W. Frank James. George Pryn, D. D. G. W. T., will conduct the ceremonies of installation. The lodge ends the term with a flourishing treasury and with a membership of about two hundred and forty. There are a number of applications for membership awaiting action and the 250 mark will be reached in a very short time.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HOLD  
NOMINATIONS OF OFFICERS

The Hancock lodge, No. 109, Knights of Pythias, last evening at the regular meeting nominated officers for the coming year, to be voted for at the annual election to take place next Friday night. Vice Chancellor Graustadt was nominated unopposed for chancellor, commander to succeed William Reed, and there will be no opposition to the election of E. J. Penberthy as master of finance and William Kauth as master of exchequer. For some of the other officers there are several candidates and the election will prove interesting.

A recent issue of the "Knights Progress," a Pythian paper published in Detroit, contains an article on the career of Justus H. Rathbone, the founder of the order, which gives some interesting details of his life and concerning the foundation of the order. It is related how Rathbone became stranded with a minstrel company in northern Michigan and secured employment as school teacher at Eagle Harbor, remaining there from January, 1860, to May, 1861. He returned to Utica in 1862 and never went back to Eagle Harbor. No credit is given in the article to Eagle Harbor being the birthplace of Pythianism, but it is stated that the ritual was written and the first lodge organized in Washington, D. C., 1865, during the time that Rathbone was serving as a hospital steward. The article points out that "there is no doubt but that the ritual was based upon Bani's play of Damon and Pythias, and that Rathbone fell into the same historical error as the play, which makes Pythias, and not Damon, the hostage. There is no historical authority whatever for making Pythias the hostage."

C. A. STRINGER, A FORMER  
WELL KNOWN RESIDENT, DIES

Message Received in Hancock This Morning Announcing Death in Detroit of a One-Time Prominent Citizen of This City—Was Prominent in Local Church Work.

A message was received in Hancock this morning announcing the death of Charles A. Stringer, which occurred early this morning in Detroit. Mr. Stringer was formerly a well known resident of Hancock, where he was engaged in the insurance business for many years as a member of the firm of Wright and Stringer.

The deceased was 55 years of age, and was born in Wayne county, this state. He came to Hancock when a very young man, and taught school at Franklin. Later he was taken into the office of Robinson & Wright as a clerk, and on the retirement of Mr. Robinson became a partner of E. L. Wright. He was instrumental in organizing the Hancock Y. M. C. A. and became its first president. The late Mr. Stringer was formerly identified with the Hancock Congregational church, of which he was clerk for a number of years, and he also taught the Young People's Bible class, and was prominently connected with the State Sunday School association.

He was twice married, his first wife being Miss Elizabeth Nicholls. After her death he married her sister, Miss Jennie B. Nicholls, who survives him. He also leaves his mother, one son, four daughters, three sisters, and a

brother Edward, who was associated with him in the insurance business in Detroit, where he has resided for the past ten years. He was a cousin of the late J. P. Stringer of Hancock, who died last summer.

The funeral will take place Monday afternoon in Detroit, with services at the residence. Five years ago while visiting Hancock, the late Mr. Stringer was instrumental in organizing the Brotherhood of St. Paul of the Hancock M. E. church.

An important real estate deal was consummated in Hancock this morning, whereby the Lake Superior Iron & Metal Co., composed of A. Green and J. E. O'Neill of Hancock, became the owners of what is known as the old Highland smelting property at Ripley, owned by the Calumet & Hecla Mining Co. The consideration has not been made public. The property consists of a large brick structure, lately occupied by the Portage Lake Boiler Works, and a small stone building, used as a store house, on the south or lake side, and three dwellings on the north side. The property is nine acres in extent. It will be used for the storage of scrap iron.

## MARRIED THIS MORNING.

The marriage of Joseph Goyette and Miss Mary Chartrand, both of Hancock, took place this morning at St. Joseph's church, Rev. Frederick Glasier, pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride was attended by Miss Laura Ocha of Hancock, and Joseph Brunelle, also of this city, acted in the capacity of groomsmen. They will make their home in this city.

Many school children suffer from constipation, which is often the cause of seeming stupidity at lessons. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are an ideal medicine to give a child, for they are mild and gentle in their effect, and will cure even chronic constipation. Sold by Eagle Drug store, Calumet; Laurium Pharmacy, Laurium.

## CURRENT GOSSIP OF THE COPPERS

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and the holes No. 5 and 7 are being put down as rapidly as possible. Indiana expects to cut the same hole shown up by No. 2 hole at a depth of 550 feet, in another hole just started called No. 3 and at a greater depth.

This is the first week South Lake has come into prominence as a trader and indications are that from now on, it will be active. It is elegantly located and with only 60,000 shares issued it should sell higher on its possibilities, as it lies much closer to and in line with the Lake than either North Lake or Indiana. This was the old Aztec property, which was reorganized and exchanged share for share. North Lake and Indiana have been active and strong and look higher.

## LAKE SUPERIOR AND ARIZONA—

No news from this property as yet in regards striking sulphides is discouraging a few of the stockholders who are parting with their shares at these exceptional low figures, and taking their losses. On the 1,300 level according to our private advices from Globe they have drifted 56 feet south and 102 feet north without encountering sulphides. They have considerable manganese and carbonate ores, in fact, if railroad facilities were at hand, sufficient to keep up steady shipments, but without the sulphides for a flux and 22 miles from the best shipping point, it is impossible to make a mine without a smelter at the property, which would be forthcoming if the sulphides which are undoubtedly there could be uncovered. Drifting is being continued with the hopes of getting the sulphides on the 1,300 level. There is a considerable change in the vein on the 1,300 level in comparison with the 900.

## ORO GRANDE—

This company was organized a year ago by copper country people who sold considerable stock, but after ten months of development work with indifferent results, directors decided to abandon the property and divide the balance in the treasury with the stockholders, amounting to about 30 cents per share. Temporary receipts are requested to be sent in, so that the affairs of the company can be wound up as soon as possible. This stand taken by the directors of the company meets with the approval of a majority of the stockholders.

## CALUMET CORBIN—

We are in receipt of a telegram from Supt. Hosking stating: "Just struck big vein east of fault on the two hundred level." The issue has been strong and active selling up to 70 cents. Details of this strike by mail are expected daily.

## MONTANA CLINTON—

Is showing more activity with considerable buying around 10 cents. The management advises us that they have considerable ore blocked out, awaiting a little snow, to make hauling easier, before shipping.

white and gold, and music was furnished by a male quartette. Joseph Allard has purchased a house and lot at the corner of Fourth and Corey streets in West Hancock from Finley & Coughlin. The Copper council of the United Commercial Travelers will initiate several new members this evening in the Kauth hall, and will enjoy a social session and smoker afterwards. Superintendent C. L. Lawton of the Quincy and S. L. Lawton of Hancock received deer Thursday which they had shot on a hunting trip the early part of the week. The former secured two large bucks and the latter a doe. Chas. H. Sanquist brought home a large doe from Herman yesterday.

Misses Beattie Fisher, Louise Wendell and Irene O'Neill leave tomorrow afternoon to return to the Marquette Northern Normal school to resume their studies after spending Thanksgiving at their homes in Hancock.

The steamer Alfred Mitchell arrived today at the dock of the People's Fuel company with a cargo of stove and nut coal. One more boatload is expected before the close of navigation.

Bert Jenkins and Samuel Giles returned this week to the Quincy from Denver, Colorado, where they have been employed for the past ten months.

Jonas Grove, the local steamship agent, is looking a large party of Finnish people from the copper country for an excursion to Finland on Dec. 5, arriving in time for the travelers to reach their old homes to spend Christmas day with relatives.

The following day, after Mr. Monette's visit to the town, he was fortunate enough to get another of the animals which he has at his home. According to reports around town there have been others here who have captured some of these little animals in the past. The badger is a rather small carnivorous mammal living in a burrow, nocturnal in habits and feeds on vegetables.

Mr. Monette states that if he cannot find a sale for the little animal he will keep them at his home.

## C. O. F. THE VICTORS.

Defeat St. John's Indoor Baseball Nine, Score Being 19 to 16.

Camille Monette of Boot Jack, a titillating evening the C. O. F. team of Hubbell and the St. John's indoor baseball team met in their first game of the season, and the victory went to the boys from Hubbell after a hard and bitter fight. The game was interesting throughout and there were a number of followers of both organizations present to assist their favorites along to a victory. The score stood, at the conclusion of the game, 19 to 16 in favor of the C. O. F. of Hubbell. Smith appeared in the box for the C. O. F. and Lamotte caught behind the bat. For the St. John's Baril did the twirling and Dufresne acted as the backstop. All four men did good work. The score by innings was as follows:

Rev. George Baxter, (pastor of Pumphaville parish)—Morgan Riple.

Horbert, (his long lost son)—Angus Tennant.

Pete, (the colored chore boy who required a great deal of steam and much time in which to say anything)—Will Jenks.

Squire Applebee (Aunt Jerushy's admirer)—Arthur Pae.

Brother Smith (a wealthy but mean farmer)—S. Charles Trethewey.

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They will ship to the Rutte Reduction works.

Arizona and Michigan and Superior and Globe are continuing their development work with vigor. A. and M. has about 25 men working. On the 600 level of the Telfair shaft the crosscuts north and south are in respectively 230 and 235 feet. Ground continues hard with considerable iron of pyrite prevailing. They are also sinking an exploratory one compartment shaft on the Old Dominion fault. Excellent malachite ore is being taken from this point.

The Superior and Globe shaft is down a little over 600 feet and as yet management has not determined the depth they will crosscut. However it is very probable they will crosscut inside of the next hundred feet, and it should result in opening up extensive ore bodies, as the Old Dominion has done considerable work on this vein on their Yuma and Big Johnny claims.

## HANCOCK CONSOLIDATED—

The sharp advance in Hancock Consolidated was not at all surprising to readers of these letters. We called attention to the market position of the stock for the past few weeks and to the likelihood that the striking of the West lode would cause a sharp advance in the stock. The strike was made last Saturday and as a consequence the issue on Monday jumped five points.

We have every confidence in the future development of the Hancock. There is reason to regard the lode just encountered as equal if not better than the Peewabie, upon which Quincy is now working so profitably. In fact Hancock has the distinct advantage of having this West lode in addition to the Peewabie.

The West lode was encountered at a depth of approximately 2,150 feet in No. 2 shaft. This shaft being a vertical one but one corner was into the lode last Saturday. Since then sinking continued and for a little more than three feet the vein is exposed showing excellent copper values. Thursday's blast uncovered the richest portion of the lode in No. 2 shaft. Yesterday sinking was stopped to permit timbering.

A factor which materially assisted in the advance in Hancock was the limited amount of stock available for trading purposes. We can only reiterate our previous statements on this property that the stock some time within the next few years will be selling on a par with Quincy. Of course shareholders in the meantime will be called upon to provide further funds.

## OJIBWAY—

The advance in Ojibway yesterday was occasioned by the report that the lode had been encountered at the 800-foot level of No. 1 shaft. It was also rumored that the vein had been cut in the crosscut at the 1,250 foot level of No. 2 shaft. The official announcement in either case can be expected at any time. No. 1 shaft this week will cut the station at the 1,250-foot level. Operations are confined in lateral work to the 500, 650 and 800-foot levels. At the 650-foot level the drift is opening up some exceptionally rich ground.

Mr. Smith (a tree agent)—Charles Harrold.

Joe (Samanthy's admirer)—Fred Sampson.

John, Seth and Bob, (singers)—James Boyd, Morley Pascoe, Chas. Sampson.

A tramp—Roy Collins.

Old Peters, (a farmer)—S. Chas. Trethewey.

Mrs. Baxter, (the pastor's good wife)—Miss Lillian Prisk.

Aunt Jerushy (spinster of 45, good hearted but of a